shall be taught the work of practical embalming and funeral director, and for the dissemination and reasonable knowledge of sanitation, preservation of the dead, disinfecting the bodies of deceased persons, the apartment, clothing and bedding in cases of death resulting from infectious or contagious diseases. The said State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers shall have the full power and authority to establish all rules and regulations for the conduct of said school, the payment of tuition fees, the admission of pupils, and the issue of diplomas to graduates therefrom.

- 309. The cost of maintaining and conducting said school shall be defrayed from the receipts of said State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers obtained from tuition fees, examination fees and fees for the issuing of licenses and renewals.
- Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That if any section or provision of this Act shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining sections or provisions thereof.
- Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1937.

Approved April 15, 1937.

## CHAPTER 504.

AN ACT to alter and amend the laws relating to corporations, associations and joint stock companies.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the provisions of this Act, so far as they are substantially the same as existing statutes, shall be construed as continuations thereof, and as intended to make no substantive change in existing laws, except in so far as such change shall be clearly manifest, and no implication of a change of intent shall arise by reason of a change of words or phraseology or by reason of a relocation or rearrangement of sentences, phrases, sections or paragraphs except so far as such change of intent shall be clearly manifest.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That two new sections be and they are hereby added to Article 23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (Edition of 1924), to be known respectively as Sections 23½ and 134½, to follow respectively Sections 23 and 134 of said Article, and to read respectively as follows: